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EASY TO KNIT STYLES FOR ALL THE FAMILY

Instructions for this jacket are given overleaf

# COVER-GIRL JACKET

Warm and wonderful button-up in stocking stitch and rib



Thick yarn is a mixture of wool, mohair and synthetic

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#### ABBREVIATIONS FOR ALL GARMENTS

K. = knit; p. = purl; sts. = stitches; ins. = inches; st.st. = stocking stitch; g.st. = garter stitch; inc. = increase; dec. = decrease; tog. = together; sl. = slip; p.s.s.o. = pass slip stitch over; t.b.l. = through back of loop; y.fd. = yarn forward; k. 1 b. = knit 1 below; tw. 2 = twist 2; m. 1 = make a st. (pick up loop before next st. and k. into back of it); beg. = beginning; rep. = repeat; patt. = pattern; B. = black; W. = white; L. = light; M. = medium;  $D_{\cdot} = dark$ ; M.C. = main colour.

Note: Instructions are for smallest size, with larger sizes in brackets.

MATERIALS: 23 (24:25) oz. Lister Can-Can; two each Nos. 5 and 6 knitting needles; 7 buttons.

Measurements: To fit a 34 (36:38) in. bust; length, 24 ins.; sleeve,  $17\frac{1}{2}$  ins.

Tension: 10 sts. to 3 ins.

Abbreviations: See below left.

BACK: With No. 6 needles cast on 64 (68:72) sts. Work 12 rows in k. 1, p. 1 rib. Change to No. 5 needles and patt. thus: Work 3 rows st.st., beg. k. 4th row.—(P. 1, k, through centre of st. on row below next st., slipping st. above off needle at same time —referred to as "k. 1 b.") to end. Work 3 rows st.st., beg. k. 8th row.—(K. 1 b., p. 1) to end. These 8 rows form patt. Continue in patt. until work measures  $16\frac{1}{2}$  ins. \*.

Armhole Shaping: Cast off 2 sts. at beg. of next 2 rows. Dec. 1 st. each end of next 6 rows. 48 (52:56) sts. Continue until

work measures 24 ins.

Shoulder Shaping: Cast off 7 (8:9) sts. at

beg. of next 4 rows. Cast off.

RIGHT FRONT: With No. 6 needles cast on 32 (34:36) sts. Work as back to \*,

ending k.

Armhole Shaping: Cast off 2 sts. at beg. of next row. Dec. 1 st. at armhole on next 6 rows. 24 (26:28) sts. Continue until work measures  $21\frac{1}{2}$  ins., ending at front.

Neck Shaping: Cast off 2 sts. at beg. of next row. Dec. 1 st. at neck edge on next 8 rows. Work 6 rows more.

Shoulder Shaping: Cast off 7 (8:9) sts. at beg. of next and following alternate row.

LEFT FRONT: As right, reversing

SLEEVES: With No. 6 needles cast on 28 (28: 28) sts. Work 12 rows in k. 1, p. 1 rib. Change to No. 5 needles and patt. as back, inc. 1 st. each end of every 6th row until there are 52 (52:52) sts. Continue until work measures 17½ ins. To shape top cast off 2 sts. at beg. of next 2 rows. Dec. 1 st. at beg. of every row until 30 sts. remain.

Dec. 1 st. each end of next 8 rows. Cast off.

FRONT BANDS: With No. 6 needles

cast on 8 sts. Work 2 rows in k. 1, p. 1 rib. Next row.—(make buttonhole) Rib 3, cast off 2, rib 3. Next row.—Rib 3, cast on 2, rib 3. Continue in rib, making 6 more buttonholes as before, 3½ ins. apart (measure from base of previous buttonhole). Rib 2 rows more. Cast off. Work left front band to same length, omitting buttonholes.

COLLAR: With No. 5 needles cast on 52 (52:52) sts. Work  $4\frac{1}{2}$  ins. in patt., ending with a p. row. Break yarn. With No. 6 needles cast on 16 sts., k. across 52 sts. then

cast on 16 sts. (84 sts.). Work 4 rows in k. 1, p. 1 rib. Cast off loosely ribwise.

MAKING UP: Do not press. Join shoulder, side and sleeve seams. Set in sleeves. Sew on front bands. Sew rib extensions to each side of collar. Sew collar around neck, beg. and ending at centre of front bands. Sew buttons to left front band.

# THE TOP THAT'S GREAT!

Big, bold rib pattern in thick wool knits up like wildfire, looks simply sensational

**MATERIALS:** 21 (23:25) oz. Patons Totem Double Knitting; two Nos. 8 and 5 knitting needles; 1 button; crochet hook. **Measurements:** To fit a 34 (36:38) in. bust; length,  $24\frac{1}{2}$  (25: $25\frac{1}{2}$ ) ins.; sleeve,  $16\frac{1}{2}$  ins.

Tension: 21 sts. and 26 rows to 4 ins.

Abbreviations: See page two.

BACK AND FRONT ALIKE: With No. 8 needles cast on 93 (99: 105) sts. Work 6 rows in p. 1, k. 1 rib, beg. 2nd row k. 1. Change to No. 5 needles and patt. 1st row.—K. 2nd row.—K. 1, p. 1, (k. through centre of st. on row below next st., slipping st. above off needle at same time—referred to as k. 1 b., p. 1) to last st., k. 1. Rep. last 2 rows twice. 7th row.—P. 1, (k. 1, p. 1) to end. 8th row.—K. 1, (p. 1, k. 1) to end. Rep. last 2 rows once. Rep. 1st and 2nd rows. Rep. 7th and 8th rows twice. These 16 rows form the patt. Rep. them until work measures 16 ins., ending with 12th patt. row. Raglan Shaping: Cast off 6 sts. at beg. of next 2 rows. 3rd row.—P. 1, k. 1, p. 1, k. 3 tog., patt. to last 6 sts., sl. 1, k. 2 tog., p.s.s.o., p. 1, k. 1, p. 1. Next 3 rows.—Rib 3, patt. to last 3 sts., rib 3. Rep. last 4 rows until 29 (31: 33) sts. remain. Work 3 rows. Cast off.

SLEÉVES: With No. 8 needles cast on 43 sts. Work  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ins. in p. 1, k. 1 rib, beg. 2nd row k. 1. Change to No. 5 needles. Work in patt. as back, inc. 1 st. at each end of every 6th (5th: 5th) row until there are 71 (75: 79) sts. Continue until work measures  $16\frac{1}{2}$  ins., ending with 12th patt. row. Shape raglan as back until 11 sts. remain. Work 3 rows. Next row.—Rib 3, k. 2 tog., k. 1, sl. 1, k. 1, p.s.s.o., rib 3. Work 3 rows. Cast off.

COLLAR (2): With No. 5 needles cast on 71 (73: 75) sts. 1st row.—P. 1, k. 1, p. 1, k. to last 3 sts., p. 1, k. 1, p. 1. 2nd row:—K. 1, p. 1, k. 1, (p. 1, k. 1 b.) to last 4 sts., p. 1, k. 1, p. 1, k. 1. Continue in patt. as back with 3 sts. in rib at each end for 4 more rows. 7th row.—Rib 3, k. 3 tog., patt. to last 6 sts., sl. 1, k. 2 tog., p.s.s.o., rib 3. Patt. 5 rows with rib 3 at each end. Rep. last 6 rows until 51 (53: 55) sts. remain. Work 7 rows in patt. without shaping. Rib 10 rows. Cast off. MAKING UP: Press work very lightly.



Back and front are alike; collar is worked in two pieces

Join raglan shapings. Join side and sleeve seams. Join side seams of collar. Sew cast-off edge of collar to neck edge. Cut 30 strands of wool 5 ins. long. Take 2 strands and with the crochet hook knot them through the 12th k. rib from left side of seam on front of collar. Rep. in every 2nd row along same k. rib 14 times. Trim ends of fringe. Sew button to collar as shown. Press all seams lightly.



Knitted in stocking stitch with rib borders. Sleeves are raglan

# THE LOOK OF TWEED

One strand of black wool, one of white, knitted together, make this two-colour casual with striped borders

**MATERIALS:** Lister Lavenda Double Knitting: 18 (19:20) oz. each of black and white; two each Nos. 7 and 5 knitting needles. **Measurements:** To fit a 36 (38:40) in. bust; length,  $26 (26\frac{3}{4}:27\frac{1}{2})$  ins., sleeve,  $19\frac{1}{2}$  ins.

Tension: 7 sts. and 10 rows to 2 ins.

Abbreviations: See page two.

BACK: With No. 7 needles and 2 strands of B. cast on 74 (78:82) sts. Work 4 rows in k. 1, p. 1 rib. With 2 strands of W. k. 1 row then rib 3 rows. With 2 strands of B. k. 1 row then rib 3 rows. Change to No. 5 needles \*. With one strand each of B. and W. work in st.st. until work measures 16 ins., ending p.

Raglan Shaping: Cast off 2 sts. at beg. of next 2 rows. Dec. 1 st. at beg. of every row until 22 (22:22) sts. remain. Cast off.

FRONT: As back until 32 (32:32) sts.

Neck Shaping: Next row.—K. 2 tog., k. 8,

cast off 12, k. 10. Work on last sts., dec. 1 st. at beg. of every row until all sts. are worked off. Join wool to inner edge of remaining sts. and work other side of neck to match.

sts. and work other side of neck to match. **SLEEVES:** With No. 7 needles and 2 strands of B. cast on 32 (34: 36) sts. Work as back to \*. With one strand of B. and one strand of W. work in st.st., inc. 1 st. each end of every 5th row until there are 60 (64: 68) sts. Continue until work measures 19½ ins. Shape raglan as back until 8 (8:8) sts. remain. Cast off.

NECKBAND: Join both front and right back raglan seams. With No. 7 needles and 2 strands of B. pick up and k. 80 sts. around neck edge. Work 3 rows in k. 1, p. 1 rib. With 2 strands of W. k. 1 row then rib 1 row. With 2 strands of B. k. 1 row then rib 1 row. Cast off loosely ribwise.

MAKING UP: Press work on wrong side. Join left back raglan and neckband seam. Join side and sleeve seams. Press all seams.

**FOUR** 

# MADE FOR MAN APPEAL

Sweater, saddle-shouldered to give the tailored touch

**MATERIALS:** 21 (23:25) oz. Patons Totem Double Knitting; two each Nos. 10 and 8 knitting needles.

**Measurements:** To fit a 38 (40:42) in. chest; length, 26 (27 $\frac{1}{2}$ :29) ins.; sleeve, 19 (20:20) ins.

Tension: 6 sts. and 8 rows to 1 in. Abbreviations: See page two.

BACK: With No. 10 needles cast on 125 (131:137) sts. and work 3 ins. in k. 1, p. 1 rib, beg. 2nd row p. 1. Change to No. 8 needles and patt. 1st row.—(K. 5, sl. 1 purlwise) to last 5 sts., k. 5. 2nd row.—P. These 2 rows form patt. Continue in patt. until work measures  $16\frac{1}{2}$  ( $17\frac{1}{2}$ :  $18\frac{1}{2}$ ) ins.

**Armhole Shaping:** Cast off 3 sts. at beg. of next 2 rows. Dec. 1 st. at each end of next 9 (10:11) rows. 101 (105:109) sts. Continue in patt. until work measures  $24\frac{1}{4}$  ( $25\frac{3}{4}:27\frac{1}{4}$ ) ins. \*

Shoulder Shaping: Cast off 6 sts. at beg. of next 8 rows. Cast off 6 (7:8) sts. at beg. of next 2 rows. 41 (43:45) sts. Leave sts. on spare needle.

FRONT: Work as back to \*.

Shoulder and Neck Shaping: Next row.—K. 38 (39:40), cast off 25 (27:29), k. 38 (39:40). Work on last sts., casting off 6 sts. at beg. of next and following 3 alternate rows, at same time dec. 1 st. at neck edge on next 8 rows. 6 (7:8) sts. Cast off. Work other side of neck to match.

**SLEEVES:** With No. 10 needles cast on 59 (65:71) sts. and work 3 ins. in k. 1, p. 1 rib, beg. 2nd row p. 1. Change to No. 8 needles and work in patt. as back, inc. 1 st. at each end of every 6th row until there are 99 (105:111) sts. Continue until work measures 19 (20:20) ins. To shape top cast off 3 sts. at beg. of next 2 rows. Dec. 1 st. at beg. of every row until 75 (79:83) sts. remain. Dec. 1 st. each end of every row until 21 sts. remain. Work 4 (4: $\frac{1}{4}$ ) ins. on these sts. Leave sts. on spare needle.

NECKBAND: Join sleeve extensions to back and front, omitting left back. With No. 10 needles k. across left sleeve sts., pick up and k. 37 (39:41) sts. along front neck, k. across right sleeve and back sts. 120 (124:128) sts. Work 20 rows in k. 1, p. 1 rib. Cast off loosely ribusion.

rib. Cast off loosely ribwise.

MAKING UP: Press work lightly, omitting ribbing. Join left back shoulder to sleeve extension. Set in rest of sleeves. Join side and sleeve seams. Fold neck band in half to wrong side and sew down. Press all seams.



The stripe effect is made from a simple slip stitch

# TO SUIT A SMALL MISS

For sweet six-year-olds and over —a cardigan suit and matching scarf in textured wool

MATERIALS: Patons Bracken Tweed Double Knitting: 7 (8:9) oz. for skirt, 13 (14:15) oz. for jacket; two each Nos. 7 and 9 knitting needles; crochet hook; ¾ yd. elastic, ½-in. wide for skirt; 5 buttons and a press-stud for jacket.

Measurements: To fit a 26 (28:30) in. chest; length of skirt, 13 (14:15) ins. (or length required); length of jacket, 16 (17: 18) ins.; sleeve, 12 (13: 14) ins.

Tension: 9 sts., 13 rows to 2 ins. over st.st. Abbreviations: See page two.

#### skirt

TO MAKE: With No. 7 needles cast on 243 (261: 279) sts. 1st row.—(K. 5, p. 4) to end. 2nd row.—(K. 4, p. 5) to end. These 2 rows form rib patt. Continue in patt. until work measures 5 (6:7) ins., ending with a 2nd row. (Adjust length here ending with a 2nd row. (Adjust length here if required). Next row.—(K. 5, p. 1, p. 2 tog., p. 1) to end. 216 (232:248) sts. Next row.—(K. 3, p. 5) to end. Rib thus for  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ins., ending with a wrong side row. Next row.—(K. 5, p. 1, p. 2 tog.) to end. 189 (203:217) sts. Next row.—(K. 2, p. 5) to end. Rib thus for  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ins., ending with a wrong side row. Next row.—(K. 2, p. 2 tog.) to end. 162 (174:186) sts. Next row.—(K. 1, p. 5) to end. Rib thus until work measures 12 (13:14) ins. from beg. Change to No. 9 needles. Work 1 in. in k. 1, p. 1 rib. Cast off ribwise.

k. 1, p. 1 rib. Cast off ribwise.

MAKING UP: Press lightly. Join side seam. Cut elastic to fit waist. Join in a ring and herringbone to inside of skirt waist.

#### jacket

BACK: With No. 9 needles cast on 64 (68: 72) sts. Work 4 rows in k. 1, p. 1 rib. Change to No. 7 needles. Continue in st.st.

until work measures  $9\frac{1}{2}$  (10:  $10\frac{1}{2}$ ) ins. **Raglan Shaping:** Cast off 3 sts. at beg. of

next 2 rows. Dec. 1 st. at beg. of every row until 18 (18:18) sts. remain. Cast off.

POCKET LININGS: (2). With No. 7 needles cast on 18 (20:22) sts. Work 3 ins. in st.st., ending p. Leave sts.

RIGHT FRONT: With No. 9 needles cast on 32 (34:36) sts. Work 4 rows in k. 1, p. 1 rib. Change to No. 7 needles. Continue in st.st. until work measures 3½ ins., ending p. Pocket opening row.—K. 7. ending p. Pocket opening row.-K. 7,



Skirt is made in one piece. Scarf is sewn to neck of jacket

sl. next 18 (20: 22) sts. on to a st. holder, k. 18 (20: 22) sts. from one pocket lining, k. 7. Continue in st.st. until work measures  $9\frac{1}{2}$  (10:  $10\frac{1}{2}$ ) ins., ending k.

Raglan Shaping: Cast off 3 sts. at beg. of next row. Dec. 1 st. at beg. of every alternate row until 18 (18:18) sts. remain.

Neck Shaping: Dec. 1 st. at beg. of every row until all sts. are worked off.

LEFT FRONT: As right, reversing

shapings.

SLEEVES: With No. 9 needles cast on 36 (38:40) sts. Work 12 rows in k. 1, p. 1 rib. Change to No. 7 needles. Continue in st.st., inc. 1 st. each end of every 8th row

# ...AND ONE **FOR JUNIOR**

Extra-quick-knit sweater with straight across neckline

MATERIALS: 8 (9:10) oz. Patons Double Quick Knitting; two each Nos. 7 and 9 knitting needles.

Measurements: To fit a 22 (24:26) in. chest; length,  $14\frac{1}{2}$  ( $15\frac{1}{2}$  :  $16\frac{1}{2}$ ) ins.; sleeve,  $10\frac{1}{2}$  ( $12:13\frac{1}{2}$ ) ins.

Tension: 16 sts. to 3 ins.

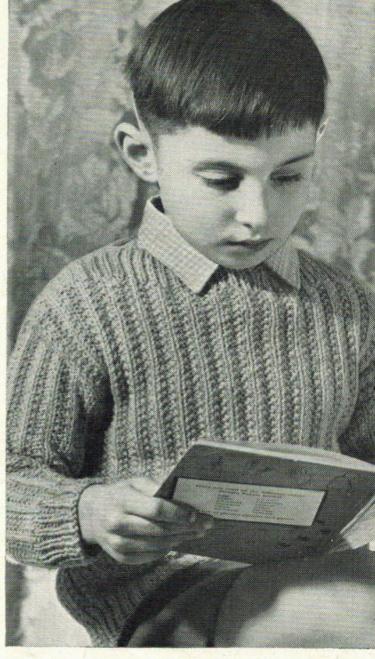
Abbreviations: See page two.

BACK AND FRONT ALIKE: With No. 9 needles cast on 66 (70:74) sts. Work 2 ins. in k. 1, p. 1 rib. Change to No. 7 needles and patt. 1st row.—K. 2, (p. 2, k. 2) to end. 2nd row.—K. 1, (p. 2, k. 2) to last st., p. 1. These 2 rows form the patt. Continue in patt. until work measures 14 (15:16) ins., ending on right side. Next row.—Patt. 5 (6:4), inc. in next st., \* patt. 6 (6:7), inc. in next st.; rep. from \* 7 times, patt. 4 (7:5). 75 (79:83) sts. Next row.—K. 1, (p. 1, k. 1) to end. Next row.—P. 1, (k. 1, p. 1) to end. Rep. last 2 rows once. Shoulder Shaping: Continuing in rib, cast off 3 sts. at beg. of pext 10 rows. Cast off off 3 sts. at beg. of next 10 rows. Cast off loosely, ribwise.

**SLEEVES:** With No. 9 needles cast on 34 (34:38) sts. Work 2 ins. in k. 1, p. 1 rib. Change to No. 7 needles. Work in patt. as back, inc. 1 st. at each end of every 6th row until there are 50 (56:62) sts. Continue until sleeve measures  $10\frac{1}{2}$  (12: $13\frac{1}{2}$ ) ins.

Cast off loosely.

MAKING UP: Press work lightly. Join shoulders. Set centre of sleeve top to shoulder seams, then sew sleeve tops to sides of sweater. Join side and sleeve seams.



Straight armhole edges give dropped shoulder effect

until there are 50 (54:58) sts. Continue until work measures 12 (13:14) ins. Shape raglan as back until 4 (4:4) sts. remain. Cast off.

FRONT BANDS: With No. 9 needles cast on 8 sts. Work 2 rows in k. 1, p. 1 rib. Next row.—(make buttonhole) Rib 3, cast off 2, rib 3. Next row.—Rib 3, cast on 2, rib 3. Continue in rib, making 4 more buttonholes 3  $(3\frac{1}{4}:3\frac{1}{2})$  ins. apart (measure from base of previous buttonhole). Rib 2 rows more. Cast off. Work left band to same length omitting buttonholes

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POCKET TOPS: With No. 9 needles work 4 rows in k. 1, p. 1 rib on 18 (20:22)

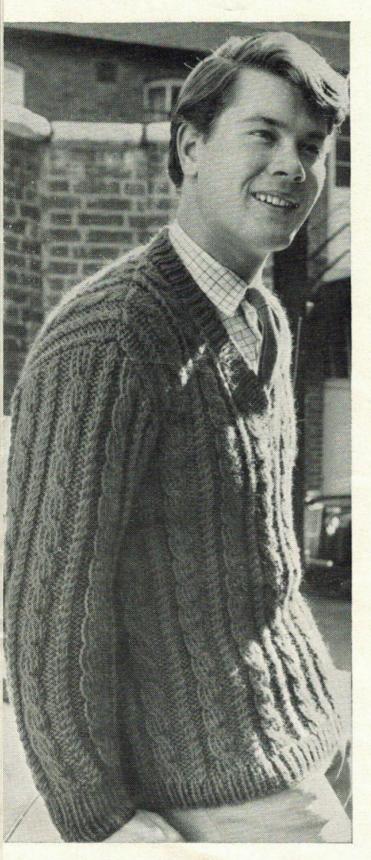
sts. on st. holder. Cast off loosely ribwise. SCARF: With No. 9 needles cast on 27 sts. 1st row.—K. 2, (p. 1, k. 1) to last st., k. 1. 2nd row.—K. 1, (p. 1, k. 1) to end. Rep. last 2 rows for 36 ins. Cast off ribwise.

MAKING UP: Press work. Join raglan, side and sleeve seams. Sew on front bands.

Sew down pocket linings and pocket tops. Sew side edge of scarf to neck, beg. and ending at centre of front bands and leaving  $11\frac{1}{2}$  ins. free at each end. Sew on buttons. Sew press stud to neck. Cut remaining wool into 5-in. lengths. With a crochet hook and 3 strands at a time, knot through alternate at a strands at a time, knot through alternate sts. at each end of scarf. Trim ends.

### HUSKY AND HANDSOME

Cable gets a bolder look when it's made up in a thick bulky woolthis sweater has panels of twisted stitch, too, that add to the effect



The welts, cuffs and neckband are in single rib EIGHT

MATERIALS: 21 two-oz. hanks Patons Big Ben Knitting; two each Nos. 2, 4 and 6

knitting needles; cable needle.

Measurements: To fit up to a 40-in. chest; length,  $26\frac{1}{2}$  ins.; sleeve,  $19\frac{1}{2}$  ins.

Tension: 4 sts. to 1 in.

Abbreviations: See page two.

BACK: With No. 4 needles cast on 86 sts. Work 8 rows in k. 1, p. 1 rib. Change to No. 2 needles and patt. thus: 1st row.—P. 2, k. 2nd st. on left-hand needle, then k. 1st st., taking both sts. off tog.—referred to as "tw. 2," p. 2, (k. 4 t.b.l., p. 2, tw. 2, p. 2) to end. **2nd row.**—K. 2, p. 2, k. 2, (p. 4 t.b.l., k. 2, p. 2, k. 2) to end. Rep. last 2 rows once. **5th row.**—P. 2, tw. 2, p. 2, (place next 2 sts. on cable needle and leave at front of work, by 2 then k. 2 from cable needle n. 2 tw. 2 k. 2, then k. 2 from cable needle, p. 2, tw. 2, p. 2) to end. 6th row.—As 2nd. These 6 rows form patt. Continue in patt. until work measures 18 ins. from beg.

Armhole Shaping: Cast off 3 sts. at beg. of

next 2 rows. Dec. 1 st. at beg. of next 12 rows. Continue until work measures 26½ ins.

Shoulder Shaping: Cast off 12 sts. at beg. of next 4 rows. Cast off.

FRONT: As back until work measures

Neck Shaping: Next row.—Patt. 43, turn. Continue on these sts. only, dec. 1 st. at neck edge on every 4th row until work measures 18 ins., ending at side.

Armhole Shaping: Still dec. at neck edge as before until 24 sts. remain, cast off 3 sts. at beg. of next row, then dec. 1 st. at armhole edge on following 6 alternate rows. Continue until work measures 26½ ins., ending at side. Shoulder Shaping: Cast off 12 sts. at beg. of next and following alternate row. Complete other side of neck to match.

SLEEVES: With No. 6 needles cast on 38 sts. Work 3 ins. k. 1, p. 1 rib. Next row.

—Rib 4, (inc. in next st., rib 3) 7 times, inc., rib 5 (46 sts.). Change to No. 2 needles and patt. as back, inc. 1 st. each end of every 6th row until there are 64 sts. Continue straight until work measures 19½ ins. To shape top cast off 3 sts. at beg. of next 2 rows, then dec. 1 st. at beg. of every row until 48 sts. remain. Cast off 6 sts. at beg. of next 6 rows. Cast off. **NECKBAND:** Join right shoulder. With

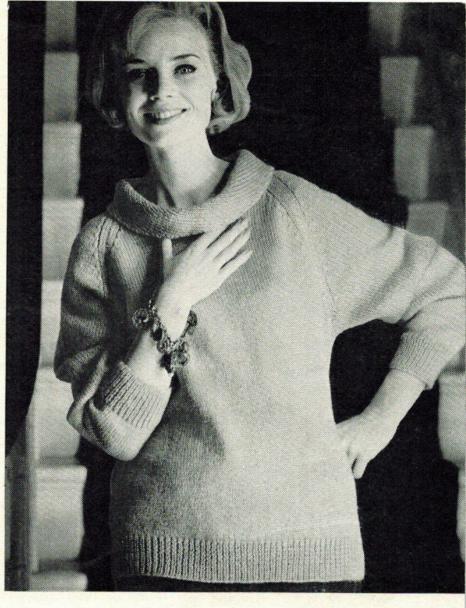
No. 6 needles and right side facing pick up and k. 48 sts. down left side of neck, 1 st. at centre front, 48 sts. up right side of neck and 21 sts. across back neck. Work 7 rows k. 1, p. 1 rib, dec. 1 st. each side of centre front st.

on every row. Cast off ribwise.

MAKING UP: Press work. Join left shoulder and neckband seam. Set in sleeves. Join side and sleeve seams. Press all seams.

# SLEEK AND SMOOTH

Easy to wear and elegant—that sums up this longline, collared sweater



Roll collar is in rib, knitted on the cross

MATERIALS: 16 (17:18:19) oz. Patons Double Quick Knitting; two each Nos. 9 and 8 knitting needles.

**Measurements:** To fit a 34 (36 : 38 : 40) in. bust; length,  $21\frac{3}{4}$  ( $22\frac{3}{4}$  :  $23\frac{1}{4}$  :  $24\frac{1}{4}$ ) ins.; sleeve, 17 ins.

Tension: 6 sts. and 8 rows to 1 in.
Abbreviations: See page two.

**BACK:** With No. 9 needles cast on 114 (120: 126: 132) sts. and work  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ins. in k. 1, p. 1 rib. Change to No. 8 needles and continue in st.st. until work measures 13 (131: 131: 14) ins. ending p.

(13½: 13½: 14) ins., ending p.

Raglan Shaping: Cast off 6 sts. at beg. of next 2 rows. Next row.—K. 3, p. 1, k. 3 tog., k. to last 7 sts., sl. 1, k. 2 tog., p.s.s.o., p. 1, k. 3. Next row.—P. 3, k. 1, p. to last 4 sts., k. 1, p. 3. Next row.—K. 3, p. 1, k. to last 4 sts., p. 1, k. 3. Next row.—P. 3, k. 1, p. to last 4 sts., k. 1, p. 3. Rep. last 4 rows until 34 (36: 38: 40) sts. remain. Work 3 rows. Cast off.

FRONT: As back until 58 (60:62:64)

sts. remain.

Neck Shaping: Next row.—Work 24, cast off 10 (12:14:16), work 24. Continue on last set of sts., dec. 1 st. at neck edge of every alternate row and dec. for raglan as before

until 4 sts. remain. Dec. at neck edge only on every alternate row until all sts. are worked off. Work other side of neck to match.

SLEEVES: With No. 9 needles cast on 56 (60: 64: 68) sts. and work  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ins. in k. 1, p. 1 rib. Change to No. 8 needles and st.st., inc. 1 st. each end of every 6th row until there are 88 (92: 96: 100) sts. Continue until work measures 17 ins., ending p. Shape top as back raglan shaping until 12 sts remain. Work 3 rows. Next row.—K. 3, p. 1, sl. 1, k. 3 tog., p.s.s.o., p. 1, k. 3. Work 3 rows. Cast off.

COLLAR: With No. 9 needles cast on 3 sts. 1st row.—K. and p. in 1st st., k. 1, p. 1. 2nd row.—P. and k. in 1st st., p. 1, k. 1, p. 1. 3rd row.—P. and k. in 1st st., (p. 1, k. 1) twice. Continue in rib, inc. at beg. of every row until there are 31 sts. Next row.—Inc., rib to last 2 sts., k. 2 tog. Rib 1 row. Rep. last 2 rows until work measures 24 (24½: 25: 25½) ins. along longer edge. Work 1 row, then dec. 1 st. at end of every row until 3 sts. remain. Cast off.

MAKING UP: Press work on wrong side. Join raglan shapings. Join side and sleeve seams. Join short edges of collar. Sew inc. edge of collar to neck edge. Press all seams.

## FOR THE COOL OF EVENING

Button-up in mohair—for lightweight warmth and heavenly luxury



Extra easy to knit, entirely in rib

MATERIALS: 19 (20 : 21) oz. Lister Mohair and Wool; two No. 7 knitting needles; 5 large and 2 small buttons.

Measurements: To fit a 36 (38:40) in. bust; length, 23 ins.; sleeve, 16 ins.

Tension: 5 sts. to 1 in. (slightly stretched).

Abbreviations: See page two.

BACK: Cast on 97 (103: 109) sts. Work 14 ins. k. 1, p. 1 rib, beg. 2nd row p. 1.

Armhole Shaping: Cast off 5 sts. at beg. of next 2 rows. Dec. 1 st. at beg. of next 10 rows. 77 (83:89) sts. Continue until work measures 18 ins. Now inc. 1 st. each end of next and every 6th row until there are 83 (89:95) sts. Continue until work measures 23 ins.

Shoulder Shaping: Cast off 9 (10:11) sts. at beg. of next 6 rows. Leave remaining

29 sts. on spare needle.

POCKET LININGS: (2) Cast on 25 sts. Work 4 ins. k. 1, p. 1 rib, beg. 2nd row p. 1.

Leave sts.

**RIGHT FRONT:** Cast on 53 (55:59) sts. Work 4 rows k. 1, p. 1 rib, beg. 2nd row p. 1. Next row.—Rib 3, cast off 2, rib to end. Next row.—Rib to last 3 sts., cast on 2, rib 3. Continue in rib, making 2nd buttonhole 3½ ins. from 1st, until work measures 4 ins., ending at side. Next row: Rib 23 (25: 25), y. fd., k. 2 tog., rib to end. Work ½ in., ending at side. Pocket opening row.—Rib 11 (12:14), cast off 25, rib to end. Next row.—Rib 17 (18:20), rib sts. from one pocket lining, rib to end. Continue making buttonholes 31 ins. apart, until work measures 14 ins., ending at side. Armhole Shaping: Cast off 5 sts. at beg. of next row. Dec. 1 st. at beg. of following 5 (4:5) alternate rows. Still making buttonholes as before until there are 5 in all, continue until work measures 18 ins., ending at front. Now inc. 1 st. at end of next and every 6th row until there are 46 (49:52) sts. Continue until work measures 23 ins., ending at side.

Shoulder Shaping: Cast off 9 (10:11) sts. at beg. of next and following 2 alternate

rows. Leave 19 sts. Do not break off yarn. LEFT FRONT: As right, but reverse shapings and pocket lining, omit button-holes and break yarn.

**SLEEVES:** Cast on 45 (47:49) sts. Work 3 ins. in k. 1, p. 1 rib, beg. 2nd row p. 1. Continue in rib, inc. 1 st. each end of next and every following 6th row until there are 67 (69:71) sts. Continue until work measures 16 ins. To shape top cast off 5 sts. at beg. of next 2 rows. Dec. 1 st. at beg. of every row until 31 (33:35) sts. remain. Now dec. 1 st. each end of every row until 17 (19:21) sts. remain. Cast off.

COLLAR: Join shoulders. Rib sts. of right front, back and left front. Continue in rib for 5 ins. Cast off ribwise.

MAKING UP: Set in sleeves. Join side and sleeve seams. Sew down pocket linings. Sew on the buttons. Press all seams lightly.

### SOFT AND DREAMY

Featherlight mohair in fancy rib with an easy shawl collar

MATERIALS: 12 (13:14) oz. Lister Mohair and Wool; two each Nos. 6 and 2 knitting needles.

Measurements: To fit a 32 (34:36) in. bust; length, 24½ ins.; sleeve, 16 ins.

Tension: 7 sts. to 2 ins.

Abbreviations: See page two.

Note.—When decreasing on a 3rd patt. row,

count "k. 2 tog." as 2 sts.

BACK: With No. 6 needles cast on 58 (62:66) sts. Work 8 rows in k. 1, p. 1 rib. Change to No. 2 needles and patt. thus:

1st row.—P. 2, (k. 2, p. 2) to end. 2nd row.

—K. 2, (p. 2, k. 2) to end. 3rd row.—P. 2, (k. 2 tog., p. 2) to end. 4th row.—K. 2, (k. twice in next st., k. 2) to end. These 4 rows form patt. Continue in patt. until work measures 16½ ins.

Armhole Shaping: Dec. 1 st. each end of next 4 rows. Continue until work measures

241 ins.

Shoulder Shaping: Cast off 8 (9:10) sts.

at beg. of next 4 rows. Cast off.

FRONT: As back until work measures

164 ins., ending with a 1st patt. row.

Neck and Armhole Shaping: Next row.— Patt. 26 (28:30), cast off 6, patt. to end. Work on last set of sts., dec. 1 st. at armhole edge on next 4 rows and dec. 1 st. at neck edge on every 5th row until 16 (18:20) sts. Continue until work measures remain. 24½ ins., ending at armhole edge.

Shoulder Shaping: Cast off 8 (9:10) sts. at beg. of next and following alternate row.

Complete other side to match.

SLEEVES: With No. 6 needles cast on 38 (38: 38) sts. Work 12 rows in k. 1, p. 1 rib. Change to No. 2 needles. Patt. as back, inc. 1 st. each end of 5th and every following 8th row until there are 54 (54:54) sts. Continue until work measures 16 ins. To shape top dec. 1 st. each end of next 4 rows, then dec. 1 st. at beg. of every row until 24 sts. remain. Dec. 1 st. each end of next 4 rows. Cast off.

COLLAR: With No. 6 needles cast on 111 sts. Work 12 rows in k. 1, p. 1 rib, beg. 2nd row p. 1. Continue in rib, dec. 1 st. each end of every row until 59 sts. remain.

Cast off loosely, ribwise.

MAKING UP: Press lightly. Join shoulders. Set in sleeves. Join side and sleeve seams. Sew cast-on edge of collar around neck. Sew down 12 rows straight at centre front, crossing the right side over left.



Shawl collar is worked separately

# JACKET FOR A GAY LAD

Smartly styled in a fancy pattern, with a big warm collar

MATERIALS: 10 (11:12) oz. Lister Lavenda Double Knitting; two each Nos. 10 and 8 knitting needles; 6 buttons.

**Measurements:** To fit a 22 (24:26) in. chest; length, 14 (15:16) ins.; sleeve,  $7\frac{1}{2}$  (9:11) ins.

Tension: 13 sts. and 15 rows to 2 ins.

Abbreviations: See page two.

BACK: With No. 10 needles cast on 78 (84:90) sts. Work 19 rows st.st. Change to No. 8 needles and patt. thus: 1st row. (wrong side)— K. 1, (k. 1 t.b.l., p. 1) to last st., k. 1. 2nd row.—As 1st. 3rd row.—K. 1, (p. 1, k. 1 t.b.l.) to last st., k. 1. 4th row.—As 3rd. These 4 rows form patt. Continue in patt. until work measures  $8\frac{1}{2}$  (9:9\frac{1}{2}) ins., ending with a wrong side row. Raglan Shaping: Cast off 4 sts. at beg. of next 2 rows. Next row.—K. 3, sl. 1, k. 1, p.s.s.o., patt. to last 5 sts., k. 2 tog., k. 3. Next row.—P. 4, patt. to last 4 sts., p. 4. Rep. last 2 rows until 24 (26:28) sts. remain. Cast off.

LEFT FRONT: With No. 10 needles

LEFT FRONT: With No. 10 needles cast on 36 (40: 42) sts. Work in st.st., inc. 1 st. at end of 1st and every alternate row until there are 41 (45: 47) sts. Now dec. 1 st. at end of every alternate row until there are 36 (40: 42) sts. Change to No. 8 needles and patt. as back until work measures  $8\frac{1}{2}$  (9:  $9\frac{1}{2}$ ) ins., ending with a wrong side row. Raglan Shaping: Cast off 4 sts. at beg. of next row. Patt. 1 row. Next row.—K. 3, sl. 1, k. 1, p.s.s.o., patt. to end. Next row.—Patt. to last 4 sts., p. 4. Rep. last 2 rows until 14 (16: 16) sts. remain.

Neck Shaping: Shaping raglan as before cast off 4 (6:6) sts. at beg. of next row, then dec. 1 st. at neck edge on every alternate row until 5 sts. remain. Now dec. 1 st. at neck edge only on every row until all sts. are worked off.

**RIGHT FRONT:** As left front, reversing shapings and working k. 2 tog. for sl. 1, k. 1, p.s.s.o. on raglan shaping.

SLEEVES: With No. 10 needles cast on 40 (42:44) sts. and work 19 rows st.st. Change to No. 8 needles and work in patt. as back, inc. 1 st. each end of every 4th row until there are 60 (64:68) sts. Continue straight until work measures 8½ (10:12) ins., ending with a wrong side row. Shape raglan as back until 6 (6:6) sts. remain. Cast off.

as back until 6 (6:6) sts. remain. Cast off. COLLAR: With No. 10 needles cast on 82 (86:90) sts. Work 9 rows in patt. as back. Change to No. 8 needles and continue



It's a simple four row pattern, with stocking stitch borders

in patt. as back for 16 rows. Change to No. 10 needles. Work 4 rows st.st., beg. k. and inc. 1 st. each end of 1st and 3rd rows. Now work 4 rows st.st., dec. 1 st. each end of 1st and 3rd rows. Cast off. With No. 10 needles and right side facing, pick up and k. 15 sts. along short side of collar. Work 4 rows st.st., inc. 1 st. at shaped edge on 1st and 3rd rows. Now work 4 rows st.st., dec. 1 st. at shaped edge on 1st and 3rd rows. Cast off. Work other side of collar to match.

FRONT BANDS: With No. 10 needles and right side facing pick up and k. 70 (78:86) sts. along left front edge. Work 3 rows st.st., inc. 1 st. at beg. of 1st and 3rd rows. Next row. (Make buttonholes)—K. 5 (7:9), \* cast off 2, k. 10 (11:12); rep. from \* 4 times, cast off 2, k. 5 (6:7). Next row.—Inc., p. 4 (5:6), \* cast on 2, p. 10 (11:12); rep. from \* 4 times, cast on 2, p. 5 (7:9). Work 4 rows st.st., inc. 1 st. at beg. of 2nd and 4th rows. Now work 6 rows st.st., dec. 1 st. at beg. of 2nd, 4th and 6th rows. Rep. 1st buttonhole row. Next row.—Dec., p. 3 (4:6), \* cast on 2, p. 10 (11:12); rep. from \* 4 times, cast on 2, p. 5 (7:9). Work 4 rows st.st., dec. 1 st. at beg. of 2nd and 4th rows. Cast off. Work right band to match, but reverse shapings and omit buttonholes.

MAKING UP: Press work. Join raglan, side and sleeve seams. Fold all st.st. borders in half and sew down on wrong side, mitring corners on fronts and collar. Sew on collar, beg. and ending at centre of front bands. Neaten double buttonholes. Sew on buttons.

# PRETTY PLAYMATES

Girls' raglan cardigans plain or daisy trimmed both from one pattern

**MATERIALS:** 8 (9:10) oz. Patons Double Quick Knitting; two No. 8 knitting needles; scraps of white, yellow and green 3-ply for embroidery; 6 buttons.

**Measurements:** To fit a 21 (23:25) in. chest; length,  $12\frac{1}{2}$  ( $13\frac{1}{2}$ :  $14\frac{1}{2}$ ) ins.; sleeve, 8 ( $9\frac{1}{2}$ : 11) ins.

**Tension:** 6 sts. and 8 rows to 1 in. **Abbreviations:** See page two.

BACK: Cast on 68 (74:80) sts. Work 1 row in k. 1, p. 1 rib. Patt. row.—\*
K. 1 leaving st. on left hand needle, bring w.fd., then p. st. just knitted tog. with next st.—referred to as "cross 2"; rep. from \* to end. Rep. this row 15 times. Continue in st.st., beg. k. until work measures 7½ (8:8½) ins., ending p.

Raglan Shaping: Cast off 3 sts. at beg. of next 2 rows. Next row.—K. 1, cross 2, sl. 1, k. 1, p.s.s.o., k. to last 5 sts., k. 2 tog., cross 2, k. 1. Next row.—P. 1, cross 2, p. to last 3 sts., cross 2, p. 1. Rep. last 2 rows until 24 (26: 28) sts. remain. Cast off.

RIGHT FRONT: Cast on 40 (44:46) sts. Work 1 row in k. 1, p. 1 rib. Rep. patt. row of back twice. Next row.—(Make buttonhole.) Patt. 2, cast off 2, patt. to end. Next row.—Patt. to last 2 sts., cast on 2, patt. 2. Rep. patt. row 8 times. Rep. the 2 buttonhole rows. Work 2 more rows in patt. Next row.—Patt. 6 and place on a safetypin, k. to end. Continue in st.st. until work measures  $7\frac{1}{2}$  (8:8\frac{1}{2}) ins., ending at side.

Raglan and Front Shaping: Cast off 3 sts. at beg. of next row. Next row.—K. to last 5 sts., k. 2 tog., cross 2, k. 1. Next row.—P. 1, cross 2, p. to end. Rep. these 2 rows 6 (6:8) times. Next row.—K. 1, sl. 1, k. 1, p.s.s.o., k. to last 5 sts., k. 2 tog., cross 2, k. 1. Work 1 row. Rep. last 2 rows 8 (10:10) times. Dec. 1 st. at front edge of next 5 rows. Fasten off.

**LEFT FRONT:** Cast on 40 (44: 46) sts. Work 1 row in k. 1, p. 1 rib. Rep. patt. row of back 16 times. **Next row.**—K. to last 6 sts., sl. these 6 sts. on to a safety-pin. Now complete to match right front, reversing shapings and working sl. 1, k. 1, p.s.s.o. for k. 2 tog. and vice versa.

SLEEVES: Cast on 40 (42:44) sts. Work 1 row in k. 1, p. 1 rib. Rep. patt. row of back 16 times. Continue in st.st., beg. k., inc. 1 st. at each end of every 6th row until there are 52 (56:60) sts. Continue until

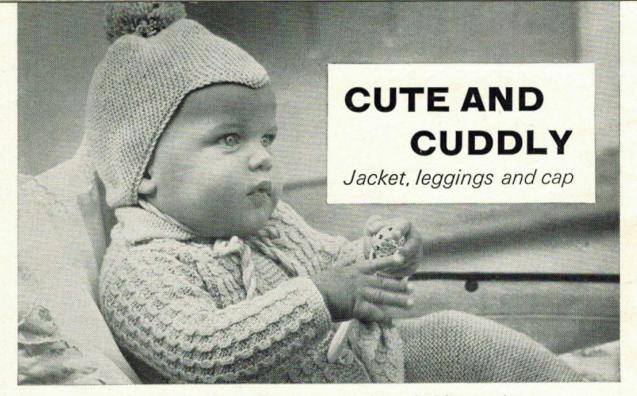


Simple contrast embroidery can be added to finished garment

work measures 8  $(9\frac{1}{2}:11)$  ins., ending p. To shape top work as back raglan shaping until 8 (8:8) sts. remain. Cast off knitwise.

**FRONT BANDS:** Sl. sts. of right front band on to needle, join on wool and continue in patt., making 4 more buttonholes as before,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  ( $1\frac{3}{4}$ : 2) ins. apart (measure from base of previous buttonhole). Continue until band will fit up front edge, across sleeve top and to centre back neck. Cast off. Work left band to match, omitting buttonholes.

MAKING UP: Press work. Join raglan shapings. Join side and sleeve seams. Sew on front bands, joining short ends at centre back neck. Sew on buttons. If desired embroider each front of cardigan as shown. Work each flower in straight stitches with white wool. Embroider centre of flowers in satin stitch with yellow. Link flowers with stalks in green stem stitch. Press all seams.



Jacket is in twisted rib pattern; cap is worked in one piece

MATERIALS: 11 oz. Lister Lavenda 4-ply; two each Nos. 13 and 11 knitting

needles; 6 buttons; ½ yd. elastic. Measurements: Jacket: To fit a 21 in. chest; length, 10 ins.; sleeve, 8 ins. Leggings: 17½ ins. down side.

Tension: 8 sts. and 11 rows to 1 in. over patt. Abbreviations: See page two.

jacket

BACK: With No. 13 needles cast on 86 sts. and k. 8 rows. Change to No. 11 needles and patt. 1st row.—K. 2nd row.—P. 3rd row.—P. 2, \* k. into back of 2nd st. on left hand needle but do not sl. st. off needle, k. 1st st. and sl. both sts. off needle tog., p. 2; rep. from \* to end. 4th row.— K. 2, (p. 2, k. 2) to end. 5th row.—P. 2, (k. 2, p. 2) to end. 6th row.—K. 2, \* p. into front of 2nd st. on left hand needle but do not sl. st. off needle, p. 1st st. and sl. both sts. off needle tog., k. 2; rep. from \* to end. These 6 rows form the patt. Continue in patt. until work measures 6 ins.

Armhole Shaping: Cast off 12 sts. at beg. of next 2 rows. Continue until work measures

10 ins. from beg.

Shoulder Shaping: Cast off 4 sts. at beg.

of next 8 rows. Cast off remainder.

RIGHT FRONT: With No. 13 needles cast on 48 sts. and k. 4 rows. Next row.—

(Make buttonhole.) K. 3, cast off 2, k. to end. Next row.—K. to last 3 sts., cast on 2, k. 3. K. 2 rows. Change to No. 11 needles. K. 1 row. Next row.-P. to last 6 sts., k. 6. Continue in patt. as back from 3rd row, keeping the 6 sts. at front edge in g.st., and making further buttonholes in front edge 23 ins. apart until work measures 6 ins., ending at side.

Armhole Shaping: Still making buttonholes until there are 4 in all, cast off 12 sts. at beg. of next row. Continue until work measures 9 ins. from beg., ending at front. Neck Shaping: Cast off 12 sts. at beg. of next row. Dec. 1 st. at neck edge of next Continue until work measures ending at armhole. To shape 10 ins., ending at armhole. shoulder cast off 4 sts. at beg. of next and following 3 alternate rows.

LEFT FRONT: As right, but reverse border and shapings and omit buttonholes.

**SLEEVES:** With No. 13 needles cast on 46 sts. and k. 8 rows. Change to No. 11 needles and patt. as back, inc. 1 st. each end of every 6th row until there are 66 sts. Continue until sleeve measures 8 ins. To shape top cast off 6 sts. at beg. of next 6 rows. Cast off ribwise.

COLLAR: With No. 11 needles cast on 60 sts. and work  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ins. in g.st. Cast off.

leggings

FRONT: With No. 13 needles cast on 81 sts. and work 6 rows in k. 1, p. 1 rib, beg. 2nd row p. 1. Next row.—(Make button-holes.) Rib 25, (cast off 3, rib 25) twice. Next row.—Rib 25, (cast on 3, rib 25) twice. Continue until work measures 1½ ins. Change to No. 11 needles and continue in g.st. until work measures 6 ins. from beg. \*\* Next row.—K. 40, m. 1, k. 1, m. 1, k. 40. K. 3 rows. Next row.—K. 40, m. 1, k. 3, m. 1, k. 40. Continue to inc. in this way in every 4th row until there are 99 sts. K. 3 rows. Next row.—K. 40, cast off 19, k. 40. Work on last sts. dec. 1 st. each end of every 16th row until 30 sts. remain. Continue until leg measures 7 ins. Change to No. 13 needles and work 1½ ins. in k. 1, p. 1 rib. Cast off loosely. Work other leg to match.

BACK: With No. 13 needles cast on 81 sts. and work 1½ ins. in k. 1, p. 1 rib, beg. 2nd row p. 1. Change to No. 11 needles and g.st., shaping back thus: 1st row.—K. 46, turn. 2nd row.-K. 11, turn. 3rd row.-

**FOURTEEN** 

## ZINGY STRIPES

Top for teens-made in stripes of four colours

MATERIALS: Lister Lavenda Double Knitting: 3 (4:4) oz. white, 4 (4:5) oz. each of dark, medium and light contrasts;

two No. 9 knitting needles. Measurements: To fit a 30 (32:34) in. chest or bust; length, 20  $(22\frac{1}{2}:25)$  ins. sleeve,  $12\frac{1}{2}$   $(14\frac{1}{2}:16\frac{1}{2})$  ins. Tension: 6 sts. and 8 rows to 1 in.

Abbreviations: See page two.

BACK AND FRONT ALIKE: With M. cast on 98 (104:110) sts. Work 8 rows in k. 1, p. 1 rib. With W. k. 1 row, rib 3 rows. With M. k. 1 row, rib 7 rows \*. Now work in st.st. in stripe patt. thus: 8 rows L., 4 W., 8 L., 8 D., 4 W., 8 D., 8 M., 4 W., 8 M. These 60 rows form stripe patt. Work 20 (36:52) rows more in stripe patt.

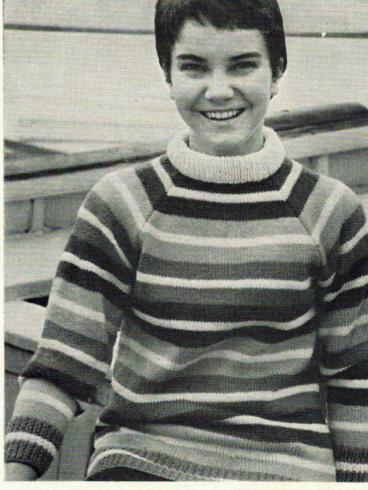
Raglan Shaping: Still working in stripe patt., cast off 3 sts. at beg. of next 2 rows then dec. 1 st. at beg. of every row until 34 (36:38) sts. remain. Leave sts. on a spare

needle.

SLEEVES: With M. cast on 46 (48:50) sts. Work as back to \*. Now work in st.st. in stripe patt. as back, inc. 1 st. each end of every 4th row until there are 78 (84:90) sts. Work 16 (24:32) rows straight. Shape raglan as back until 14 (16:18) sts. remain. Leave sts.

NECKBAND: Join both front and right back raglan seams. With W. k. sts. from left

m



Stocking stitch stripes are in varied widths; sleeves are raglan

sleeve then from front, right sleeve and back. 96 (104: 112) sts. Work 3 ins. in k. 1, p. 1 rib. Cast off loosely, ribwise.

MAKING UP: Press work. Join left back raglan and neckband seam. Join side and sleeve seams. Fold neckband in half to wrong side and stitch down loosely. Press seams.

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K. 16, turn. 4th row.—K. 21, turn. Continue in this way, working 5 more sts. in each row until all sts. are worked on to one needle. Continue until work measures 6 ins.

down side, then complete as front from \*\*.

STRAP: With No. 11 needles cast on
20 sts. and work 2 ins. in g.st. Next row.— K. 10, turn. Work 10 ins. on these sts. Cast off. Work second side to match.

cap

With No. 11 needles cast on 42 sts. and k. 2 rows. 3rd row.—Cast on 4, k. to last 2 sts., turn. 4th and alternate rows.—K. 5th row.—Cast on 4, k. to last 5 sts., turn.
7th row.—Cast on 4, k. to last 9 sts., turn.
8th row.—K. \* K. 2 rows. Next row.—K.
to last 2 sts., turn. K. 1 row. Next row.— K. to last 5 sts., turn. K. 1 row. Next row. -K. to last 9 sts., turn. K. 1 row. Rep. last 8 rows from \* until work measures 3 ins. (along straight edge). Continue to shape work as before, also dec. 1 st. (2 sts. within edge) at front edge of next and every alternate

row until 32 sts. remain. Continue as before but inc. 1 st. (2 sts. within edge) on following 11 alternate rows (43 sts.). Now dec. 1 st. (2 sts. within edge) at front edge of following 11 alternate rows (32 sts.). Now inc. 1 st. (2 sts. within edge) at front edge of every alternate row until there are 54 sts. Continue without further shaping at front for 3 ins., ending at front. Cast off 4 sts. at beg. of next and following 2 alternate rows. Work

1 row. Cast off.

MAKING UP: Press work lightly on wrong side. Jacket.—Join shoulders. Set in sleeves. Join side and sleeve seams. Sew collar to neck edge to within ½ in. of front edges. Sew on buttons. Leggings.—Join inner leg and gusset seams. Join side seams. Sew strap to centre back. Sew buttons to ends of strap. Cut elastic in two and sew one piece to bottom of each leg. Cap.—Join back seam. Turn up and sew down ½ in. hem at lower back edge. Make a twisted cord and thread through hem. Gather top edge of cap. Make large pompon and sew to top.

# GAY CLASSIC

Smooth cardigan—with a colourful edge

MATERIALS: Lister Lavenda Crisp Crepe 4-ply: 12 (12:13:14:15) oz. main colour, 1 oz. each dark and light contrast; two each Nos. 11 and 12 knitting needles; 8 buttons.

**Measurements:** To fit a 32 (34:36:38:40) in. bust; length, 21 (21:22 $\frac{1}{4}$ :22 $\frac{1}{4}$ :23 $\frac{1}{2}$ ) ins.; sleeve, 14 (14:15:15:16) ins.

Tension: 15 sts. to 2 ins.

Abbreviations: See page two.

BACK: With No. 12 needles and M.C. cast on 128 (136: 144: 152: 160) sts. Work 2 ins. in k. 1, p. 1 rib. Change to No. 11 needles and st.st. until work measures 13½ (13½: 14½: 14½: 15) ins. \*.

 $13\frac{1}{2}$  ( $13\frac{1}{2}$ :  $14\frac{1}{4}$ :  $14\frac{1}{4}$ : 15) ins. \*. **Armhole Shaping:** Cast off 3 (4:5:6:7) sts. at beg. of next 2 rows. Dec. 1 st. each end of next 10 rows. 102 (108:114:120:126) sts. Continue until work measures

21 (21:  $22\frac{1}{4}$ :  $22\frac{1}{4}$ :  $23\frac{1}{2}$ ) ins. **Shoulder Shaping:** Cast off 10 (11: 12: 13: 14) sts. at beg. of next 6 rows. Cast off.

RIGHT FRONT: With No. 12 needles and M.C. cast on 62 (66:70:74:78) sts. Work as back to \*, ending k.

Armhole Shaping: Cast off 3 (4:5:6:7) sts. at beg. of next row. Dec. 1 st. at armhole edge on next 10 rows. 49 (52:55:58:61) sts. Continue until work measures  $18\frac{1}{2}$  ( $18\frac{1}{2}$ :  $19\frac{3}{2}$ :  $19\frac{3}{2}$ : 21) ins., ending p.

 $18\frac{1}{2}$   $(18\frac{1}{2}:19\frac{3}{4}:19\frac{3}{4}:21)$  ins., ending p. **Neck Shaping:** Cast off 3 sts. at beg. of next row, then dec. 1 st. at neck edge on next 16 rows. 30 (33:36:39:42) sts. Continue until work measures 21  $(21:22\frac{1}{4}:23\frac{1}{2})$  ins., ending k.

**Shoulder Shaping:** Cast off 10 (11:12:13:14) sts. at beg. of next and following 2 alternate rows.

**LEFT FRONT:** As right, reversing shapings.

SLEEVES: With No. 12 needles and D. cast on 68 (68: 70: 70: 72) sts. Working in k. 1, p. 1 rib, work 3 rows D., 2 rows M.C., 5 rows L., 2 rows M.C. and 3 rows D. Change to No. 11 needles and M.C. and continue in st.st., inc. 1 st. each end of every 8th row until there are 94 (96: 104: 106: 112) sts. Continue until work measures 14 (14: 15: 15: 16) ins. To shape top cast off 3 (4: 5: 6: 7) sts. at beg. of next 2 rows. Dec. 1 st. at beg. of every row until 36 sts. remain. Dec. 1 st. each end of next 8 rows. Cast off.

M.C. cast on 120 sts. Work  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ins. in st.st.,



Borders are in three-colour stripes; sleeves are three-quarter length

ending k. Change to No. 12 needles. Working in k. 1, p. 1 rib and inc. 1 st. each end of every alternate row, work 3 rows D., 2 rows M.C., 5 rows L., 2 rows M.C. and 3 rows D. Cast off ribwise with D.

FRONT AND COLLAR BANDS: Join shoulder seams. Sew cast-on edge of collar around neck. With No. 12 needles and D., pick up and k. 224 (224: 238: 238: 252) sts. up right front edge then pick up and p. 30 sts. along side of collar. Working in k. 1, p. 1 rib and inc. 1 st. at beg. of next and every alternate row, work 3 rows D., 2 rows M.C. and 2 rows L. Next row.—(make buttonholes). With L. rib 4, \* cast off 5, rib 25 (25:27:27:29); rep. from \* 6 times more, cast off 5, rib to end. Next row.-With L. inc. in 1st st., rib to end, casting on 5 sts. over those cast off. Inc. as before on every alternate row, work 1 row L., 2 rows M.C. and 3 rows D. Cast off ribwise with D. For left band pick up and p. 30 sts. down side of collar then pick up and k. 224 (224:238:238:252) sts. down left front edge. Work to match right band, reversing incs, and omitting buttonholes.

MAKING UP: Press work. Set in sleeves. Join side and sleeve seams. Join shaped edges on collar. Sew on buttons.